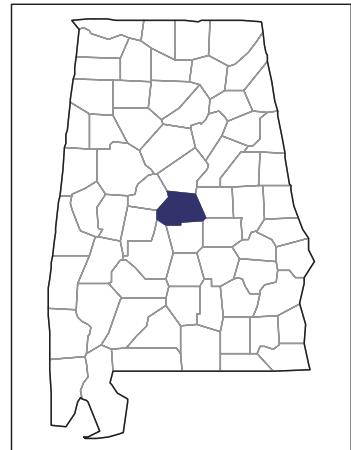


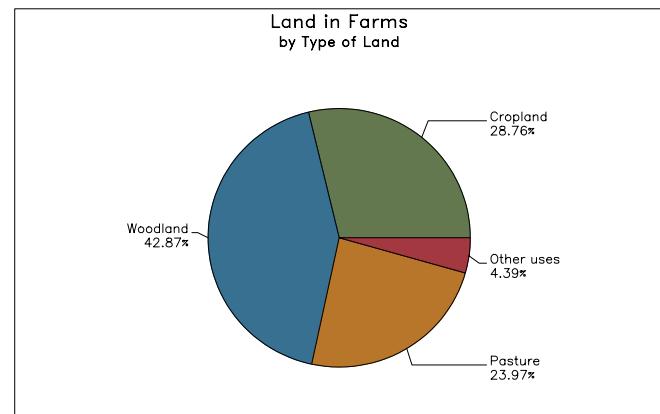
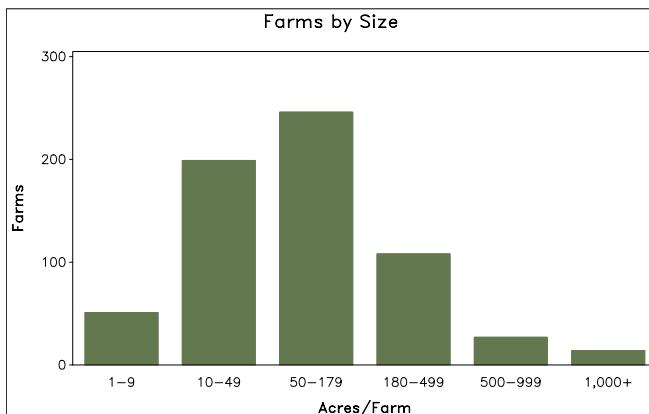
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County Profile

Chilton, Alabama



	2007	2002	% change
Number of Farms	645	667	- 3
Land in Farms	100,217 acres	98,294 acres	+ 2
Average Size of Farm	155 acres	147 acres	+ 5
 Market Value of Production	 \$15,245,000	 \$13,107,000	 + 16
Crop Sales \$8,591,000 (56 percent)			
Livestock Sales \$6,654,000 (44 percent)			
Average Per Farm	\$23,635	\$19,651	+ 20
 Government Payments	 \$322,000	 \$229,000	 + 41
Average Per Farm	\$4,537	\$2,335	+ 94



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Ranked items among the 67 state counties and 3,079 U.S. counties, 2007

Item	Quantity	State Rank	Universe ¹	U.S. Rank	Universe ¹
MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000)					
Total value of agricultural products sold	15,245	53	67	2,408	3,076
Value of crops including nursery and greenhouse	8,591	26	67	1,944	3,072
Value of livestock, poultry, and their products	6,654	53	67	2,295	3,069
VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000)					
Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas	42	58	67	2,596	2,933
Tobacco	(-)	(-)	(-)	(-)	437
Cotton and cottonseed	(D)	(D)	51	(D)	626
Vegetables, melons, potatoes, and sweet potatoes	639	10	67	966	2,796
Fruits, tree nuts, and berries	4,792	1	67	197	2,659
Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture, and sod	2,131	23	62	777	2,703
Cut Christmas trees and short rotation woody crops	(D)	(D)	30	(D)	1,710
Other crops and hay	850	37	67	1,707	3,054
Poultry and eggs	(D)	(D)	67	(D)	3,020
Cattle and calves	5,628	27	67	1,623	3,054
Milk and other dairy products from cows	(-)	(-)	51	(-)	2,493
Hogs and pigs	5	44	65	2,488	2,922
Sheep, goats, and their products	71	16	67	1,376	2,998
Horses, ponies, mules, burros, and donkeys	339	14	67	709	3,024
Aquaculture	(D)	(D)	56	(D)	1,498
Other animals and other animal products	(D)	(D)	64	(D)	2,875
TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number)					
Quail	(D)	9	52	(D)	1,386
Cattle and calves	13,497	40	67	1,769	3,060
Layers	7,266	38	67	740	3,024
Pheasants	(D)	2	29	(D)	1,544
Pullets for laying flock replacement	2,655	32	65	493	2,627
TOP CROP ITEMS (acres)					
Forage-land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and greenchop	10,766	40	67	1,640	3,060
Peaches, all	1,843	1	59	19	1,833
Cotton, all	1,008	39	51	460	627
Vegetables harvested, all	411	12	67	777	2,794
Corn for grain	409	55	67	2,095	2,634

Other County Highlights

Economic Characteristics	Quantity	Operator Characteristics	Quantity
Farms by value of sales		Principal operators by primary occupation:	
Less than \$1,000	241	Farming	297
\$1,000 to \$2,499	51	Other	348
\$2,500 to \$4,999	77	Principal operators by sex:	
\$5,000 to \$9,999	71	Male	541
\$10,000 to \$19,999	85	Female	104
\$20,000 to \$24,999	23	Average age of principal operator (years)	57.5
\$25,000 to \$39,999	38	All operators ² by race:	
\$40,000 to \$49,999	7	American Indian or Alaska Native	3
\$50,000 to \$99,999	27	Asian	2
\$100,000 to \$249,999	15	Black or African American	31
\$250,000 to \$499,999	3	Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander	(-)
\$500,000 or more	7	White	898
Total farm production expenses (\$1,000)	15,146	More than one race	8
Average per farm (\$)	23,481	All operators ² of Spanish, Hispanic, or Latino Origin	2
Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000)	1,502		
Average per farm (\$)	2,328		

(D) Cannot be disclosed. (Z) Less than half of the unit shown. See "Census of Agriculture, Volume 1, Geographic Area Series" for complete footnotes.

¹ Universe is number of counties in state or U.S. with item.

² Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.